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MASTER LEVEL COURSE IN DISASTER MANAGEMENT
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Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether in the wake of the Gujarat earthquake, Indian Institute of Remote Sensing, Dehradun in collaboration with International Institute for Aerospace Survey and Earth Sciences, Netherlands has decided to introduce Master Level Course in the disaster management; and

(b) if so, the details in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (SHRI BACHI SINGH RAWAT)

(a) & (b) No, Sir. However, as part of the on-going collaborative project between Indian Institute of Remote Sensing (IIRS), Dehradun and the International Institute for Aerospace Survey & Earth Sciences (ITC), Netherlands, IIRS has a proposal to introduce two new programmes dealing with environmental assessment and disaster management at Post Graduate Diploma and M.Sc., level from 2001 onwards. The course contents encompass topics such as Photogrammetry, Remote Sensing and Geoinformatics for environmental assessment and disaster management.